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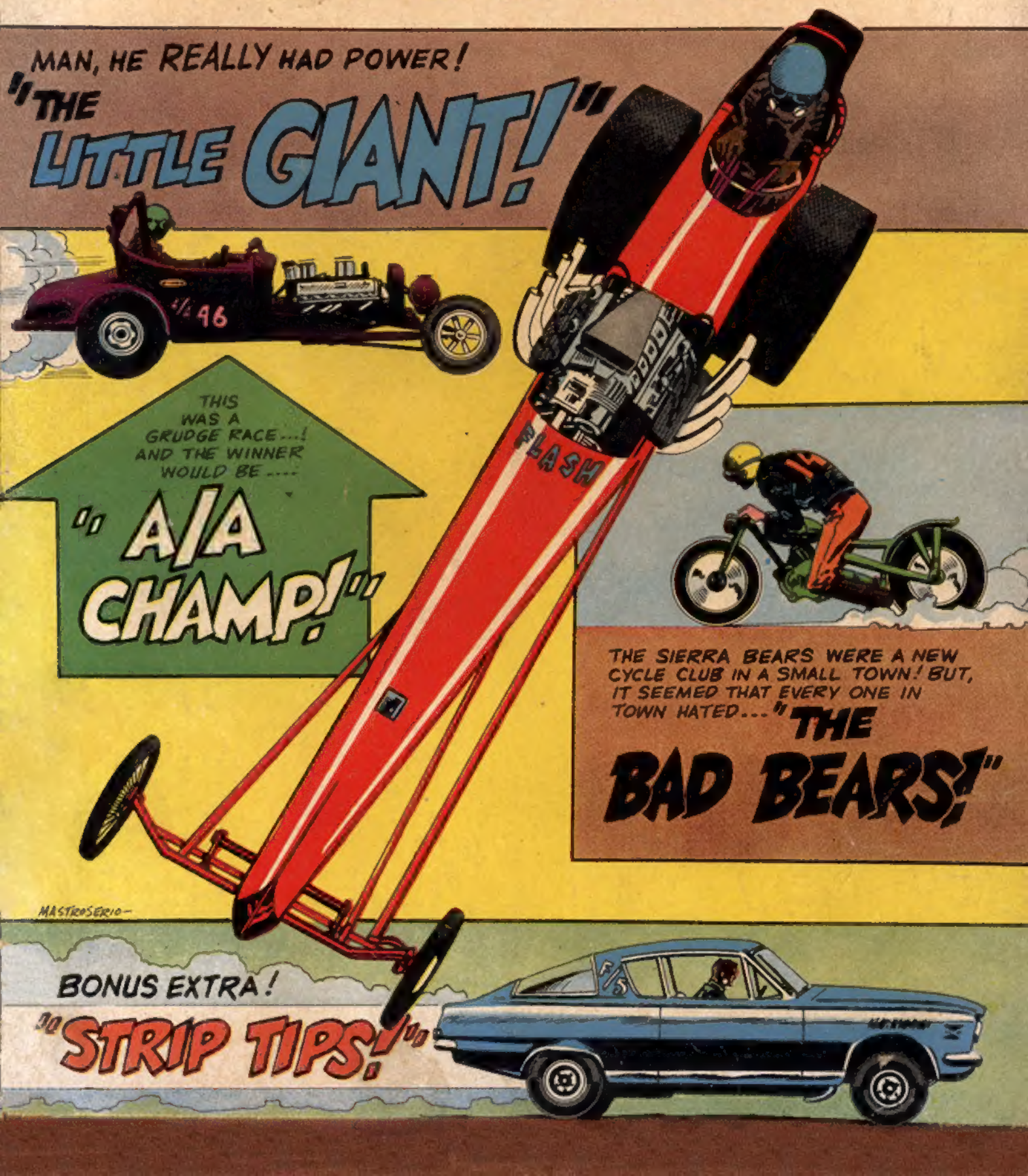
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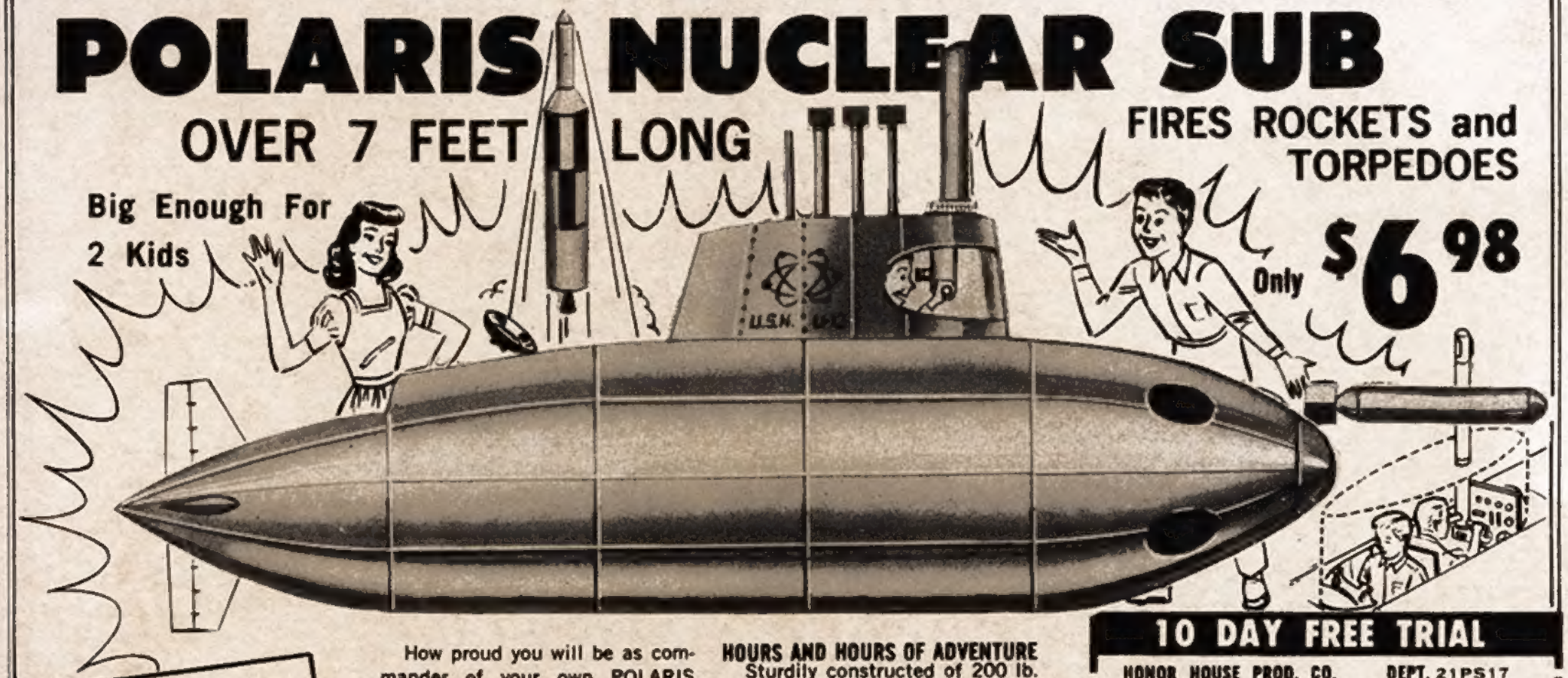

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A/A CHAMP

AT THE OAKWOOD REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS, ANDY BRILL TOOK THE KLEIN-RAWTON BLOWN-CHEVY DOWN THE LINE IN 10.2 SECONDS WITH A TOP SPEED OF 141 MPH...WINNING HIM TOPS IN CLASS...BUT THIS WASN'T GOOD ENOUGH FOR GUS KLEIN WHO BANKROLLED THE CAR!

THAT HAM-HANDED BUMBLER CAN'T WIN MIDDLE ELIMINATOR DRIVIN' THAT WAY! HE WAS SECOND OFF THE LINE...HE'S OVER 10 SECONDS AGAIN!

IT ISN'T ANDY'S FAULT AND YOU KNOW IT!

VROOOM

A/A 427

NICHOLAS AIASCIA

ANDY BRILL TURNED AND CAME BACK ...HE KNEW KLEIN WHO'D PAID ED LAWTON TO DO THE JOB ON THE A/A ROD WOULD BE MAD ABOUT THE SLOW START...

GET OUTA THAT ROD, BRILL!

SIMMER DOWN, GUS! WAIT TILL I...

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DON'T HAND ME ANY JAZZ, KID! I DON'T WANT YOU AROUND MY CAR ANY MORE!

QUIT THAT!

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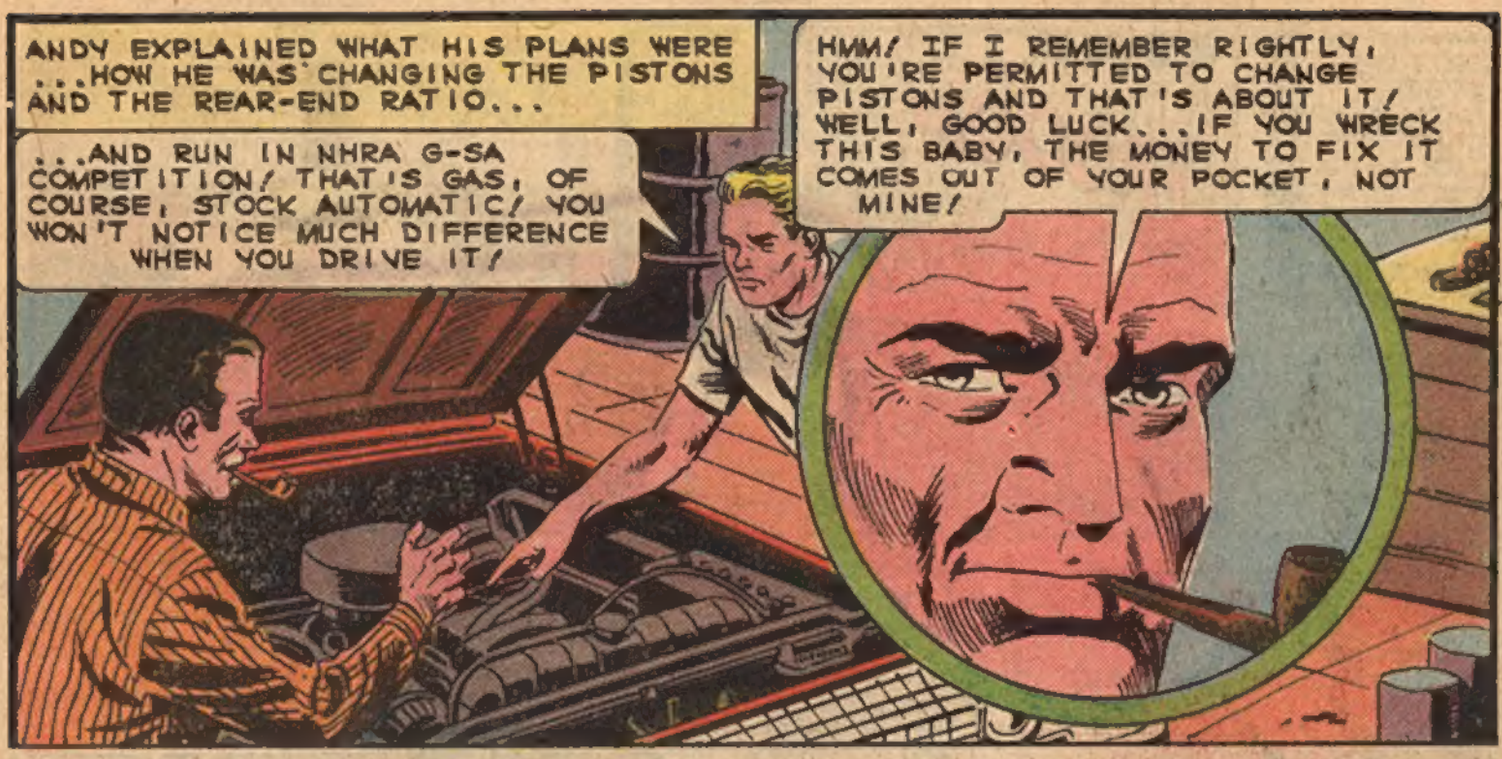
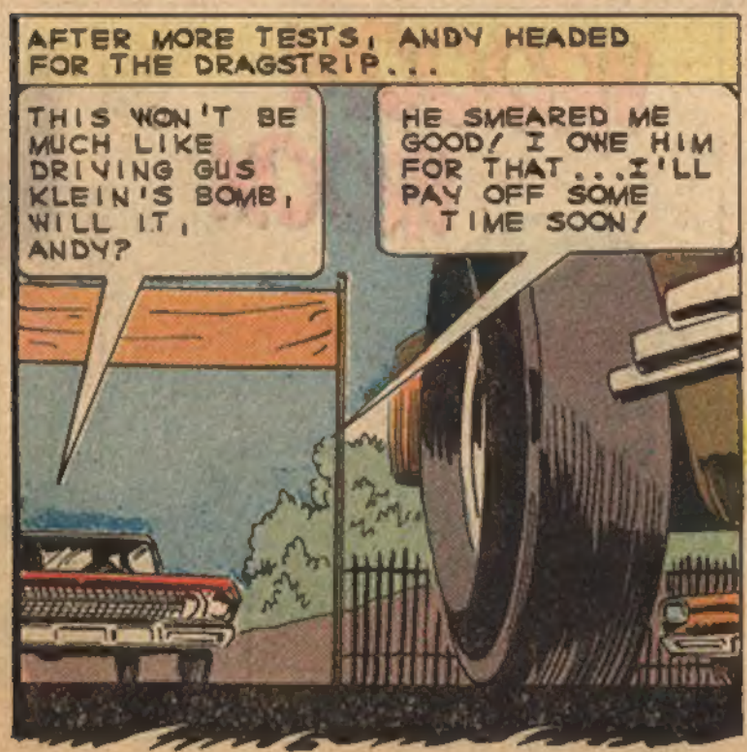
YOU'RE TOO CHICKEN TO FIGHT, SONNY...
BRILL SWUNG...IT WAS WHAT GUS KLEIN HAD BEEN HOPING FOR! HE BLOCKED IT EASILY...
SLAM
...AND THEN HE DELIVERED A SHORT, HARD RIGHT HAND TO THE CHIN! GUS KLEIN HAD FOUGHT PROFESSIONAL...THE YOUNGER HOTROD DRIVER HADN'T HAD A CHANCE!
THAT BULLY! ARE YOU ALRIGHT, ANDY? THERE SHOULD BE A DOCTOR HERE! I'LL...
I'M ALRIGHT, MITZI! I SURE ASKED FOR THAT ONE, DIDN'T I?
HOWDY, JOE! STILL LOOKING FOR SOMEONE TO JOCKEY YOUR HOTROD?
I SAW YOUR LAST RUN IN KLEIN'S CAR, SONNY! YOU CAN'T DRIVE ANY MORE'N YOU CAN FIGHT! TAKE OFF!

IT'LL BE NICE TO RIDE HOME IN A NICE, QUIET CAR, ANDY!
I FEEL LIKE A NUT DRIVING A CREAMPUFF AROUND! EVERYONE IN TOWN KNOWS I'M A HOT ROD DRIVER!
YOUR DAD LIKED THIS CAR THE WAY IT WAS! WHEN HE BOUGHT HIS NEW ONE AND LET YOU HAVE THIS, HE WAS SMART TO SPECIFY THAT YOU MUSTN'T TURN IT INTO A BOMB!
I KEEP IT TUNED THOUGH...
I CAN GET DOWN THE LINE IN ABOUT 16 SECONDS RIGHT NOW... WHICH ISN'T MUCH SLOWER THAN THE G/SA WINNERS GO THE 1320 IN!
ANDY, DON'T YOU GO AND MESS UP THIS CAR WITH A LOT OF JUNK!
YOU WON'T NOTICE A THING, MITZI!
HE KNEW THE NHRA REGULATIONS FROM MEMORY...AND ANDY BRILL REALIZED HE COULDN'T MAKE MANY CHANGES ANYHOW!
A SET OF MICKEY THOMPSON PISTONS, SOME 7 INCH TIRES IN BACK, AND MAYBE I'LL SWITCH THE REAR TO A 4.88 SET!
AFTER ORDERING THE "GOODIES", ANDY BRILL WENT TO WORK ON THE 2 327 C.U. BLOCK! HIS DAD QUESTIONED HIM ABOUT IT...
WE HAD AN AGREEMENT, ANDREW!
SIR, I'M NOT VIOLATING IT!


ANDY EXPLAINED WHAT HIS PLANS WERE ...HOW HE WAS CHANGING THE PISTONS AND THE REAR-END RATIO...
...AND RUN IN NHRA G-SA COMPETITION! THAT'S GAS, OF COURSE, STOCK AUTOMATIC! YOU WON'T NOTICE MUCH DIFFERENCE WHEN YOU DRIVE IT!
HMM! IF I REMEMBER RIGHTLY, YOU'RE PERMITTED TO CHANGE PISTONS AND THAT'S ABOUT IT! WELL, GOOD LUCK...IF YOU WRECK THIS BABY, THE MONEY TO FIX IT COMES OUT OF YOUR POCKET, NOT MINE!

TWO WEEKS LATER, FOR THE 20TH TIME, ANDY BRILL THOUGHT HE WAS FINISHED AND READY TO RUN...
HOW FAST WILL IT GO, ANDY?

I THINK SHE'LL TOP 120...BUT IF I GET UP TO 90 IN THE QUARTER MILE, I'LL BE HAPPY!


AFTER MORE TESTS, ANDY HEADED FOR THE DRAGSTRIP...
THIS WON'T BE MUCH LIKE DRIVING GUS KLEIN'S BOMB, WILL IT, ANDY?
HE SMEARED ME GOOD! I OWE HIM FOR THAT...I'LL PAY OFF SOME TIME SOON!

THERE WASN'T A LONG WAIT AND THEN IT WAS ANDY'S TURN TO TAKE THE "CREAMPUFF" DOWN THE LINE...
RUNNING G/STOCK AUTOMATIC! WHAT'S THE BEST TIME SO FAR IN THE CLASS?
90.3 AND 14.96!

GETTING THE GREEN, ANDY'S CHEV CAME OFF THE LINE... NOT VERY IMPRESSIVE TO SPECTATORS WHO'D BEEN WATCHING THE AA/D MONSTERS TEAR UP THE ASPHALT!

START

VROOOM

BY THE 8TH RUN, BRILL'S CAR WAS RUNNING UNDER 15 SECONDS WITH A SPEED OF 90.8!

VROOOM

THE RUN DID ONE BIG THING FOR ANDY BRILL ...IT PROVED TO HOTRODDERS THAT HE COULD MOVE A ROD DOWN THE LINE!

NICE RUN, ANDY! HOW COME YOU NEVER STARTED LIKE THAT IN KLEIN'S CAR!

BECAUSE KLEIN'S CAR WOULD PULL A WHEELIE IF I MASHED THE GAS!

HIS WEIGHT-TRANSFER SET-UP WAS NEVER RIGHT ...I DID A COUPLE WHEELIES AND ALMOST SMASHED THE FRONT END WHEN THE WHEELS CAME DOWN! SO I HAD TO NURSE IT OFF THE LINE...

KLEIN NEVER TOLD ANYONE THAT!

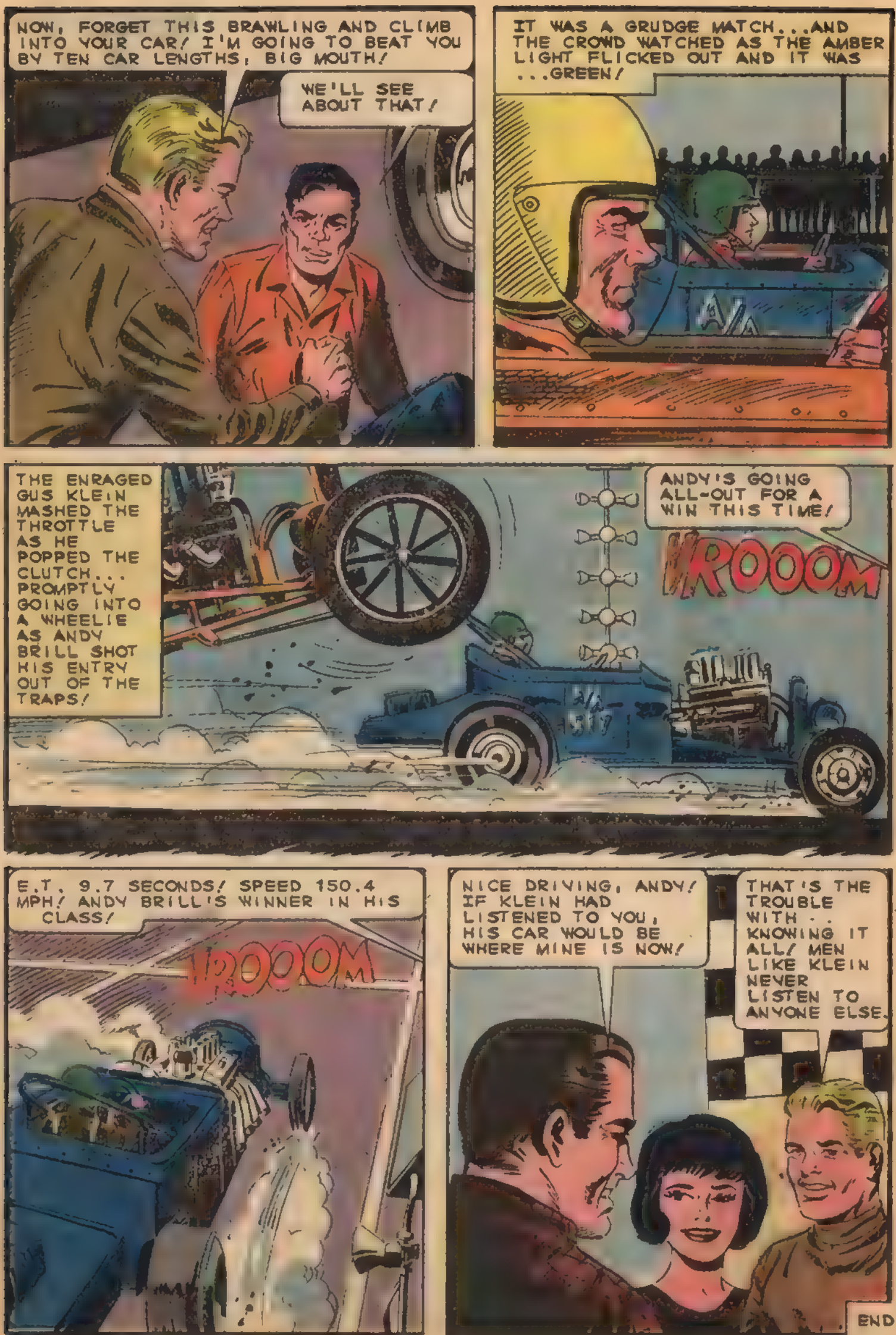
HOW'D YOU LIKE TO TRY THIS ONE, ANDY? YOU WON'T HAVE TO BABY IT OFF THE LINE, I GUARANTEE THAT!

THANKS, JOHNNY! I'LL TAKE IT NOW!

VROOOM VROOM

THE SPLIT SECOND THE LIGHT WENT GREEN, ANDY BRILL HAD THE ROD SCREAMING OFF THE LINE!
VROOOM
A/A
517
KLEIN'S CRAZY...THE KID'S FAST OUT OF THE TRAP!
140 MPH...E.T. 10.7 SECONDS!
HE'S STILL A YELLA KID!
VROOOOOM
A/A
517
BETTER NOT PUSH YOUR LUCK, MISTER!
YOU WANTA RACE AGAINST THE KLEIN-LAWTON SPECIAL? HOW ABOUT A LITTLE SIDE BET...A HUNDRED MAYBE?
DON'T BOTHER US, KLEIN! WE'RE BUSY!
YOU WANT ANOTHER RAP IN THE MOUTH, SONNY?
FLAKE OFF, LOUD-MOUTH! I'LL LET YOU KNOW WHEN I WANT TO TALK TO YOU!

ANDY HAD A COUPLE SUGGESTIONS AND JOHNNY MARSH...
AN ISKY CAM? HILBORN INJECTORS? YOU THINK THEY'LL MAKE A DIFFERENCE?
MAKE IT A WINNER, JOHNNY!
TEN DAYS LATER...
WE SHOULD BE READY NOW, ANDY! REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP RACES TOMORROW...THINK WE'LL WIN?
CAN'T MISS, JOHNNY!
MARSH'S SPEE
THEY WERE OUT EARLY, MAKING RUN AFTER RUN UNTIL THE ENGINE WAS REALLY PUTTING OUT! THEN, ANDY BRILL PROCEEDED TO VICTORY AFTER VICTORY UNTIL...
BRILL WILL DRIVE AGAINST KLEIN IN THE FINALS!
VROOOM
YOU BAD-MOUTHED ME A COUPLE TIMES, BRILL! AFTER THIS RACE, I'M GONNA HAMMER YOUR FACE TO A PULP!
THAT WON'T WORK, KLEIN! I'M NOT AFRAID OF YOU! BEAT IT, I'VE GOT THINGS TO DO!
THE BURLY VETERAN THREW A HARD, VICIOUS PUNCH...BUT ANDY BRILL SLIPPED IT AND...
...USED HIS OWN MOMENTUM TO THROW GUS KLEIN FOR A LOSS!


NOW, FORGET THIS BRAWLING AND CLIMB INTO YOUR CAR! I'M GOING TO BEAT YOU BY TEN CAR LENGTHS, BIG MOUTH!
WE'LL SEE ABOUT THAT!
IT WAS A GRUDGE MATCH...AND THE CROWD WATCHED AS THE AMBER LIGHT FLICKED OUT AND IT WAS ...GREEN!
THE ENRAGED GUS KLEIN MASHED THE THROTTLE AS HE POPPED THE CLUTCH... PROMPTLY GOING INTO A WHEELIE AS ANDY BRILL SHOT HIS ENTRY OUT OF THE TRAPS!
ANDY'S GOING ALL-OUT FOR A WIN THIS TIME!
ROOOM
E.T. 9.7 SECONDS! SPEED 150.4 MPH! ANDY BRILL'S WINNER IN HIS CLASS!
ROOOM
NICE DRIVING, ANDY! IF KLEIN HAD LISTENED TO YOU, HIS CAR WOULD BE WHERE MINE IS NOW!
THAT'S THE TROUBLE WITH.. KNOWING IT ALL! MEN LIKE KLEIN NEVER LISTEN TO ANYONE ELSE.
END

THE BURNING CAR

You are walking peacefully along the street and suddenly you see smoke coming from under the hood of a parked automobile. The driver jumps out of his car and opens the hood completely. Is he doing the right thing? Then he starts pulling wires out. His friend runs into a building and comes out with a pail of sand which they dumped on the burning engine. Another friend runs to the nearest fire-alarm box and turns in the alarm. Could you have done any better?

Or you are driving along the highway. Suddenly the car ahead of you swings off the road, turns on its side, and flames begin to shoot out from the car. Would you know what to do? How to get the people out of the car safely? And at the same time not be injured yourself. Recently my wife and myself had the pleasure of attending the First Aid College, given by the American Red Cross in our city, which had as its special program: First Aid in Fire.

Werner J. Kuhn was the chairman and he personally took us to the garage in the building, and there demonstrated to us the correct procedures in trying to rescue people from a burning car. In case his name has a familiar ring to it, may I remind you he is the same Werner J. Kuhn of Ski Patrol Fame. Important point number one: You just don't rush in to rescue the people without having some plan in mind. And know why you are doing what you do. Dr. G.E. Osler at the same program, in telling us about first aid and emergency treatment of burns and suffocation, used an expression: Educated Common Sense. So that is what you need.

If you do what you feel to be the normal impulse - rush over and open the door full - you are doing the wrong thing. Why? Figure it out yourself, with educated common sense: You are permitting fresh air to rush in and hence it will feed the fire. With the result that two things may happen to you. You may get burned on the face and part of the body, and you may breathe in hot air. Both of which are dangerous.

Always carry a large blanket in your car. It comes in handy for a lot of emergencies. Drape this blanket over half of your body so that it covers you from head to foot. Now with your covered half of the body you face the door and open it partially. Then wait a few seconds and kick it back completely with your foot. Not your hands! The door may be extremely hot and burn you. Get the driver out at once. If he has his safety belt attached, release it.

No matter how seriously he may be injured - get him out! It is better to have him even permanently crippled than burned alive. You place the body on the ground. Drag him away from the car by gripping both of his shoulders. The idea is that even if he has a spine injury, at least it won't aggravate the condition. And you are getting him away from a car that may blow up very quickly.

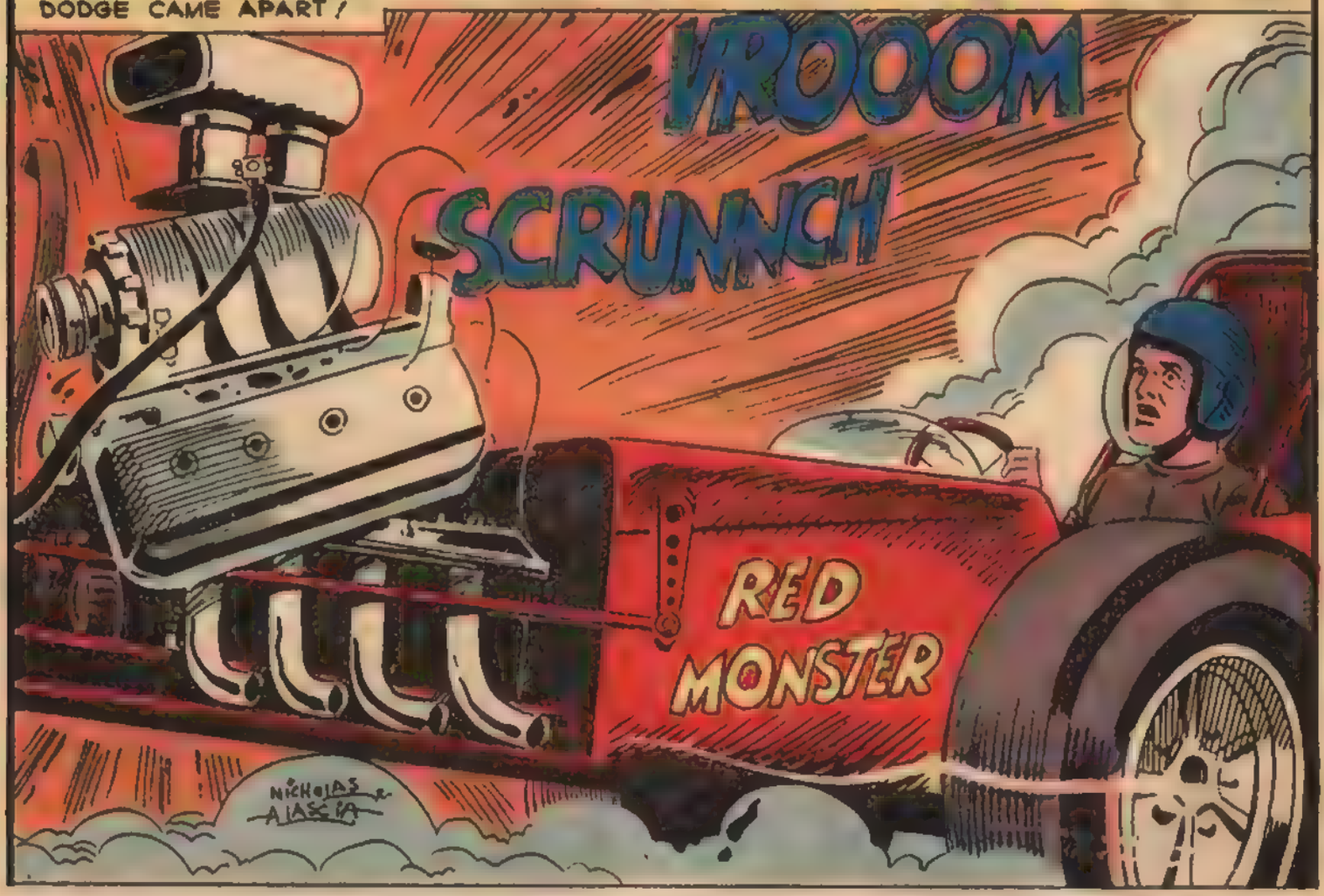
Suppose the safety button is down so you can't open the car door? The Police Lieutenant explained to us that they advised people in our city to drive with the button down to prevent thugs from trying to take over the car with a woman driver at the wheel. If the door can't be opened, it is evident glass has to be smashed. If there is nobody in the back seat - smash this glass. You are standing at the side with the blanket protecting you. The flames will shoot out. Then later you can smash a door glass and open the door from the inside. If there are people in the back, you may have to smash the front glass, on the side away from the driver. If your blanket catches fire - throw it away.

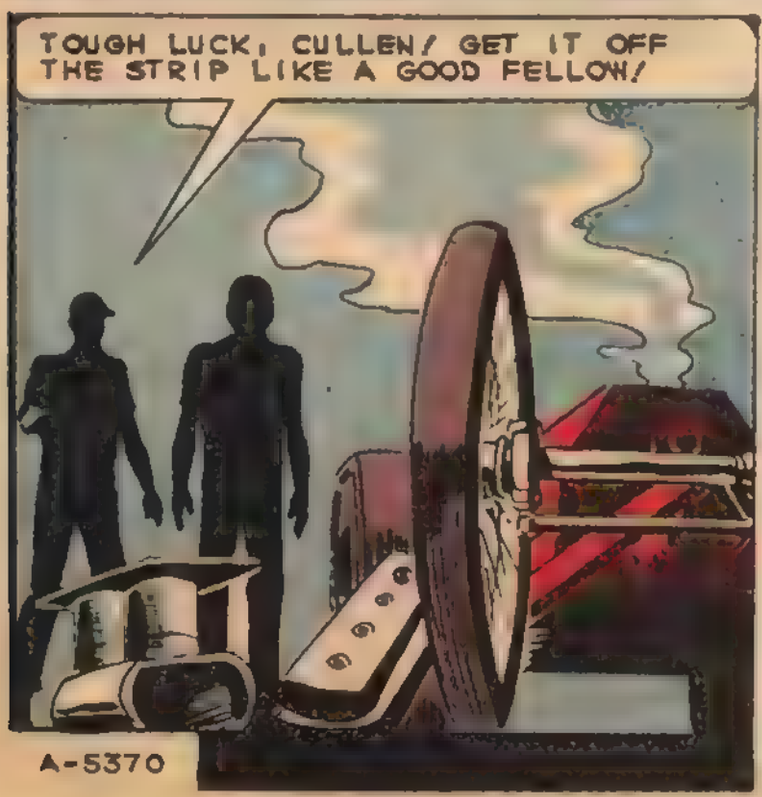
My personal observations: I believe you and every driver of a car should have a fire extinguisher with you. I have one in my car and so has my son in his car. But it has to be in working condition. So read instructions on how to maintain it. And keep it where it is handy, not hidden away in the trunk compartment of the car. I think a pair of fire-resistant gloves would also be handy in case of a fire emergency.

Bear in mind that you can replace a car that has been burned. But not the person in it. "Save my burning car," shouts the man you rescued. If it can be done without danger to you - o.k. But if not, then let it burn. And next week visit your local firehouse. And ask those firemen for additional advice and suggestions.

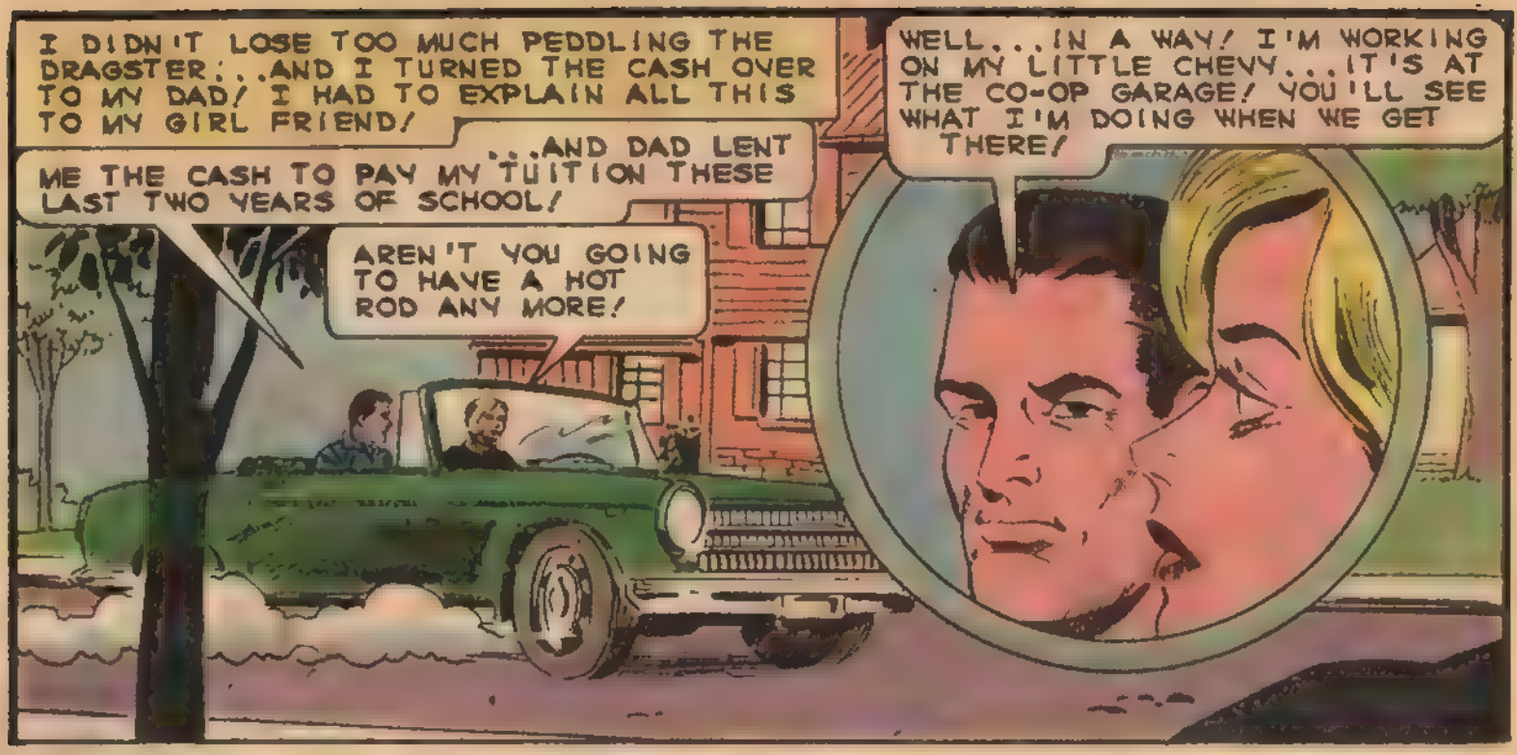
THE LITTLE GIANT

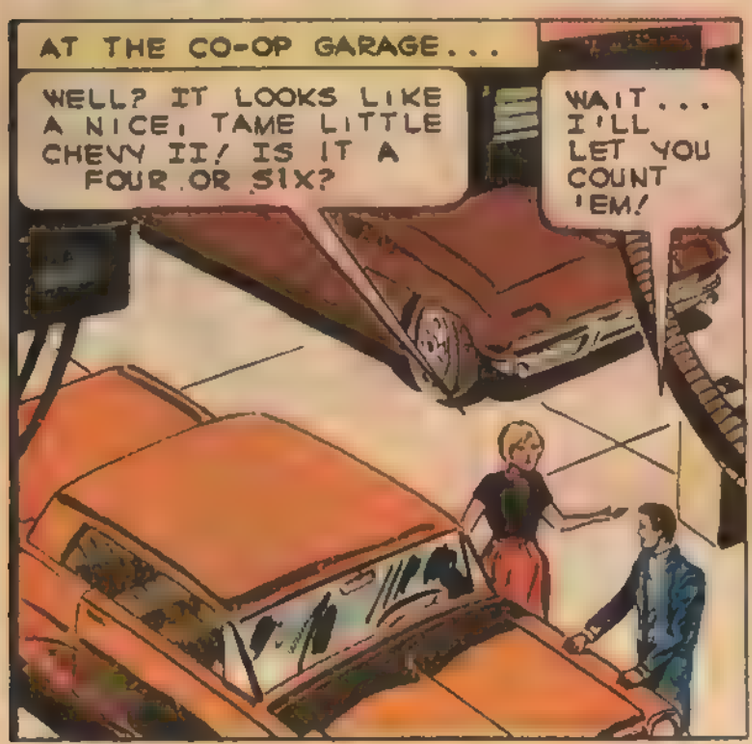
I'D CLOCKED IN A 8.35 QUARTER BUT THEN I'D ADDED MORE NITRO, CHANGED THE TIMING SOME, AND I WAS ALL SET TO RAM THE GREEN MONSTER THROUGH THE 200 MPH BARRIER! I TINGLED AS I MASHED THE GAS AND POPPED THE CLUTCH IN THE DIRECT-DRIVE GEAR BOX...I REALLY HAD POWER, MAN...I WAS CARRYING THE WHEELS AND HEADED FOR GLORY WHEN...MY BEAUTIFUL 383 HEMI DODGE CAME APART!

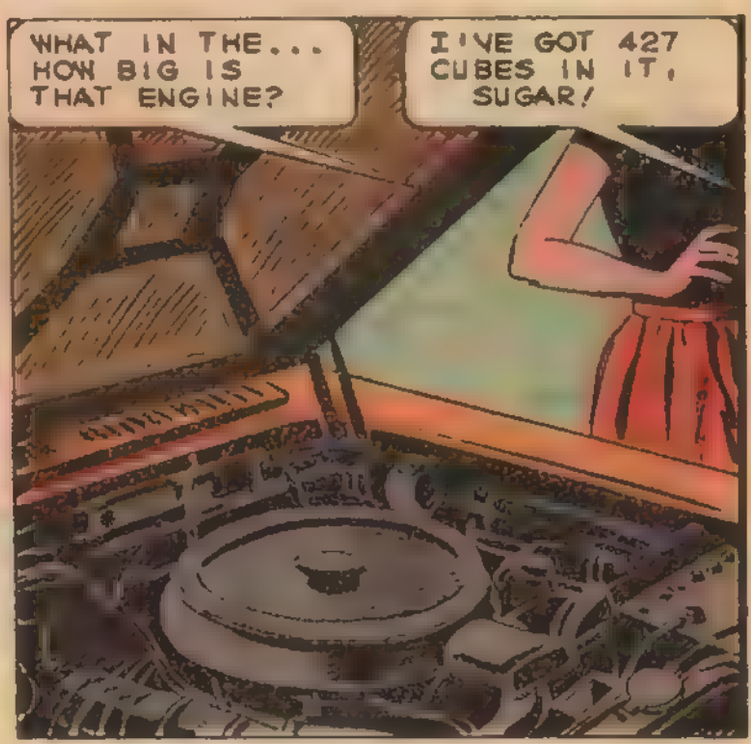


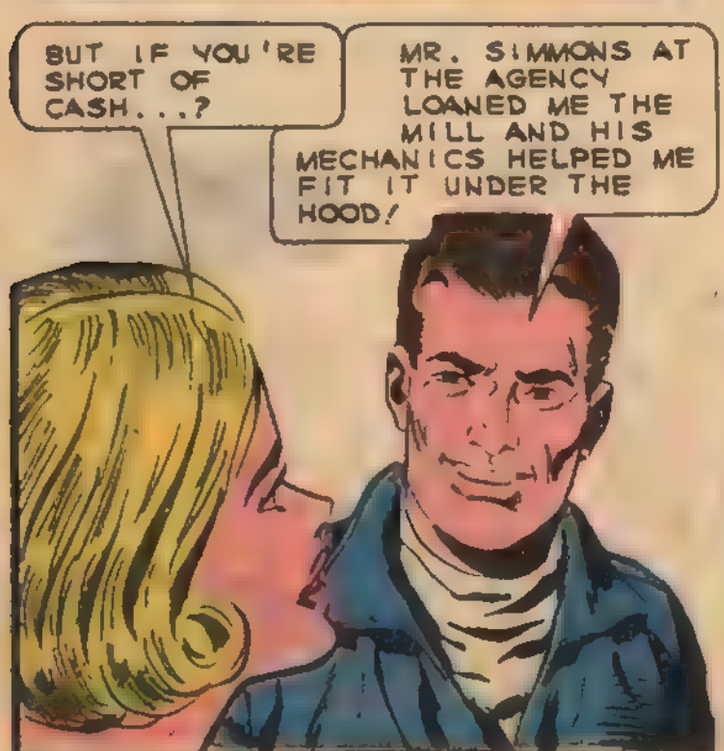


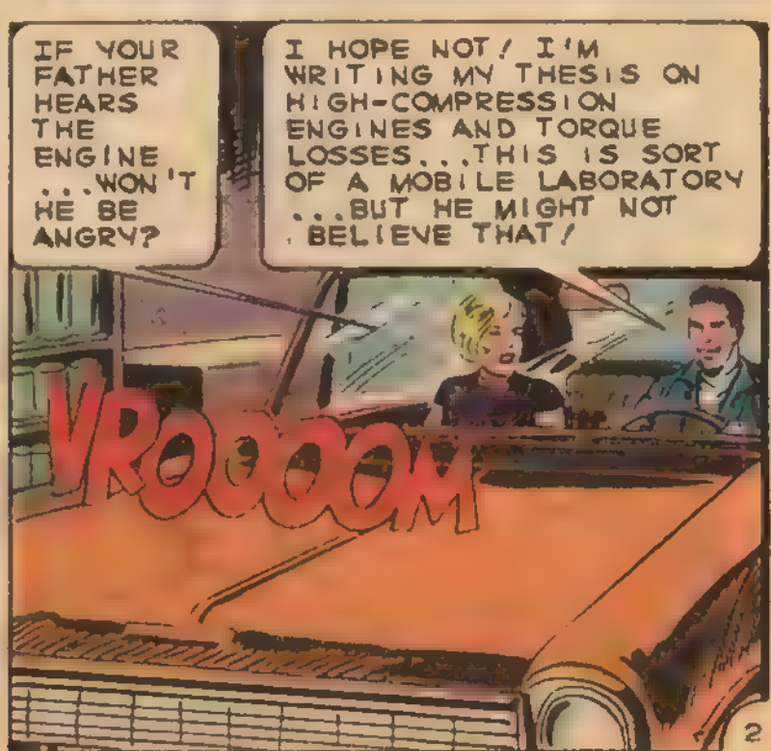
YOU SPENT A LOT OF MONEY ON THAT GADGET, JOSEPH! NOW, SELL IT FOR WHAT YOU CAN GET...CONCENTRATE ON YOUR ENGINEERING STUDIES AT TECH FROM NOW ON!
OKAY, POP!

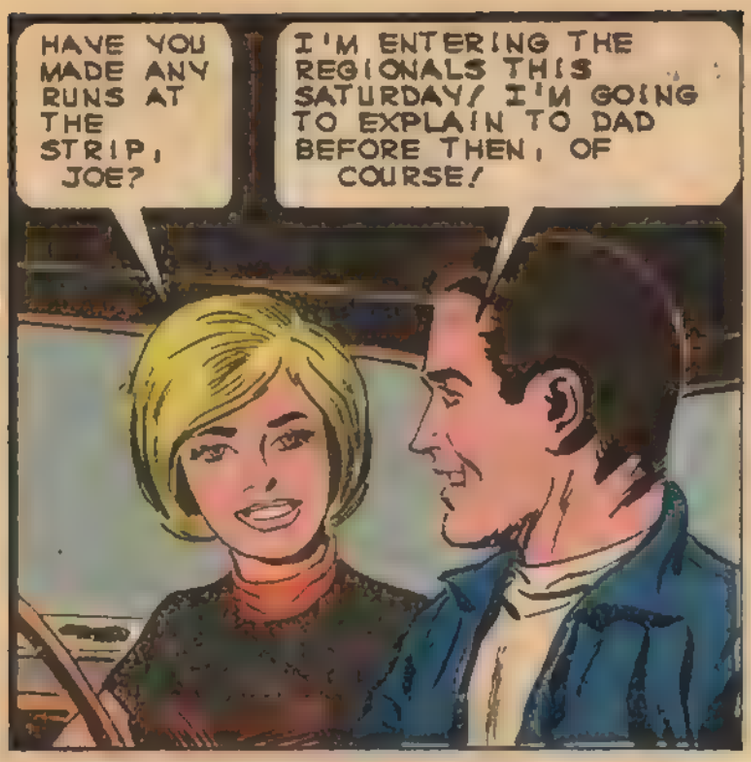

I DIDN'T LOSE TOO MUCH PEDDLING THE DRAGSTER;..AND I TURNED THE CASH OVER TO MY DAD/ I HAD TO EXPLAIN ALL THIS TO MY GIRL FRIEND/
...AND DAD LENT ME THE CASH TO PAY MY TUITION THESE LAST TWO YEARS OF SCHOOL/
AREN'T YOU GOING TO HAVE A HOT ROD ANY MORE/
WELL...IN A WAY/ I'M WORKING ON MY LITTLE CHEVY...IT'S AT THE CO-OP GARAGE/ YOU'LL SEE WHAT I'M DOING WHEN WE GET THERE/

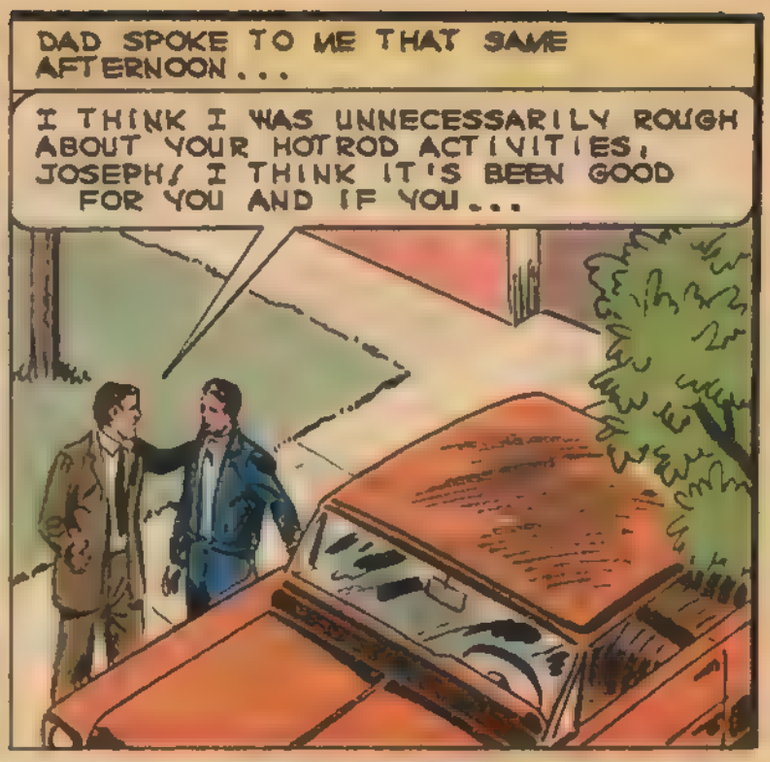

AT THE CO-OP GARAGE...
WELL? IT LOOKS LIKE A NICE, TAME LITTLE CHEVY II/ IS IT A FOUR OR SIX?
WAIT... I'LL LET YOU COUNT 'EM/


WHAT IN THE... HOW BIG IS THAT ENGINE?
I'VE GOT 427 CUBES IN IT, SUGAR/

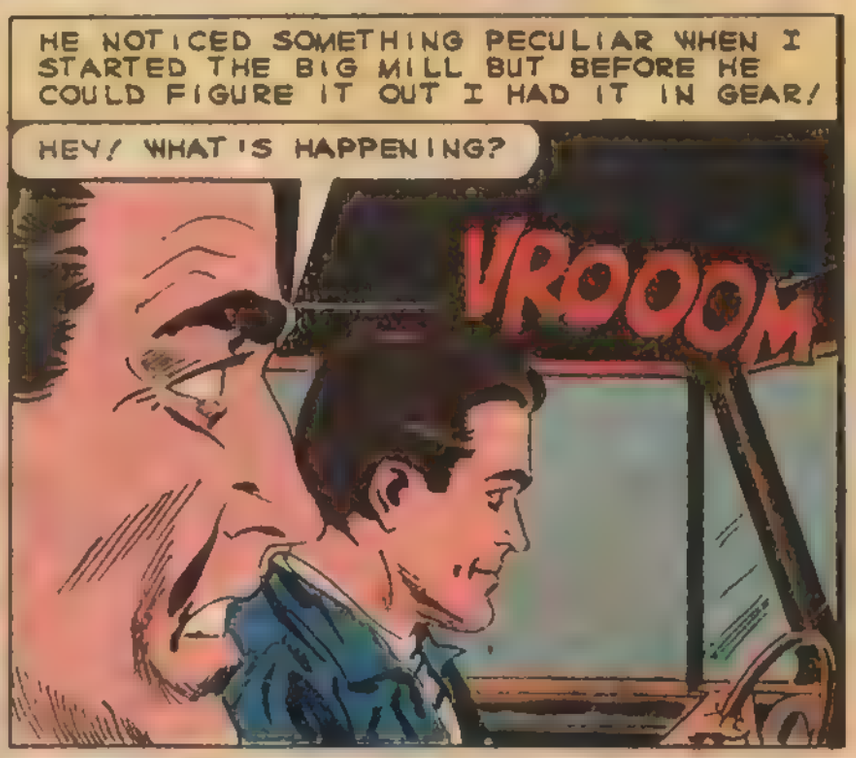

BUT IF YOU'RE SHORT OF CASH...?
MR. SIMMONS AT THE AGENCY LOANED ME THE MILL AND HIS MECHANICS HELPED ME FIT IT UNDER THE HOOD/


IF YOUR FATHER HEARS THE ENGINE ...WON'T HE BE ANGRY?
I HOPE NOT/ I'M WRITING MY THESIS ON HIGH-COMPRESSION ENGINES AND TORQUE LOSSES...THIS IS SORT OF A MOBILE LABORATORY ...BUT HE MIGHT NOT BELIEVE THAT/
VROOOOOM


HAVE YOU MADE ANY RUNS AT THE STRIP, JOE?
I'M ENTERING THE REGIONALS THIS SATURDAY/ I'M GOING TO EXPLAIN TO DAD BEFORE THEN, OF COURSE!


DAD SPOKE TO ME THAT SAME AFTERNOON...
I THINK I WAS UNNECESSARILY ROUGH ABOUT YOUR HOTROD ACTIVITIES, JOSEPH/ I THINK IT'S BEEN GOOD FOR YOU AND IF YOU...

I MEANT TO TAKE YOU FOR A RIDE IN THE LITTLE CHEVY, DAD/ HOP IN...WE'LL TALK ABOUT IT AS WE RIDE!


HE NOTICED SOMETHING PECULIAR WHEN I STARTED THE BIG MILL BUT BEFORE HE COULD FIGURE IT OUT I HAD IT IN GEAR/
HEY/ WHAT'S HAPPENING?
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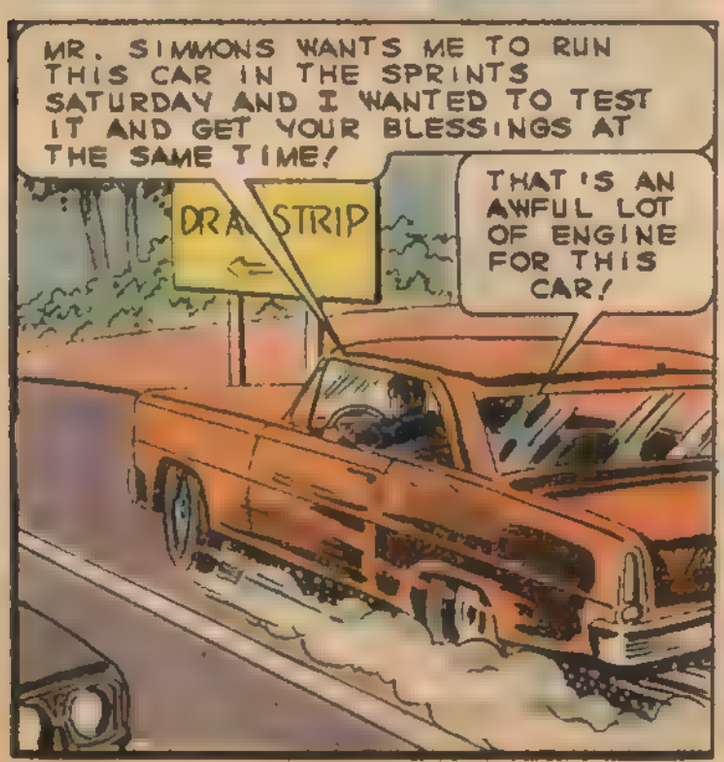
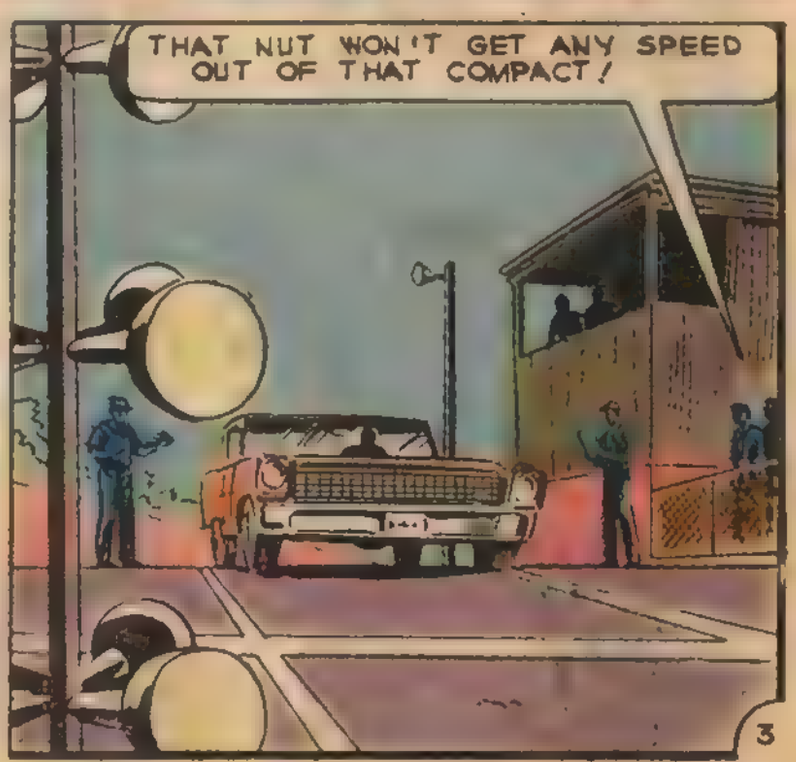

MR. SIMMONS WANTS ME TO RUN THIS CAR IN THE SPRINTS SATURDAY AND I WANTED TO TEST IT AND GET YOUR BLESSINGS AT THE SAME TIME!
DRAG STRIP
THAT'S AN AWFUL LOT OF ENGINE FOR THIS CAR!


THAT NUT WON'T GET ANY SPEED OUT OF THAT COMPACT!

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NOT AS LONG AS YOU'RE PAYING THE BILLS, POP!
END

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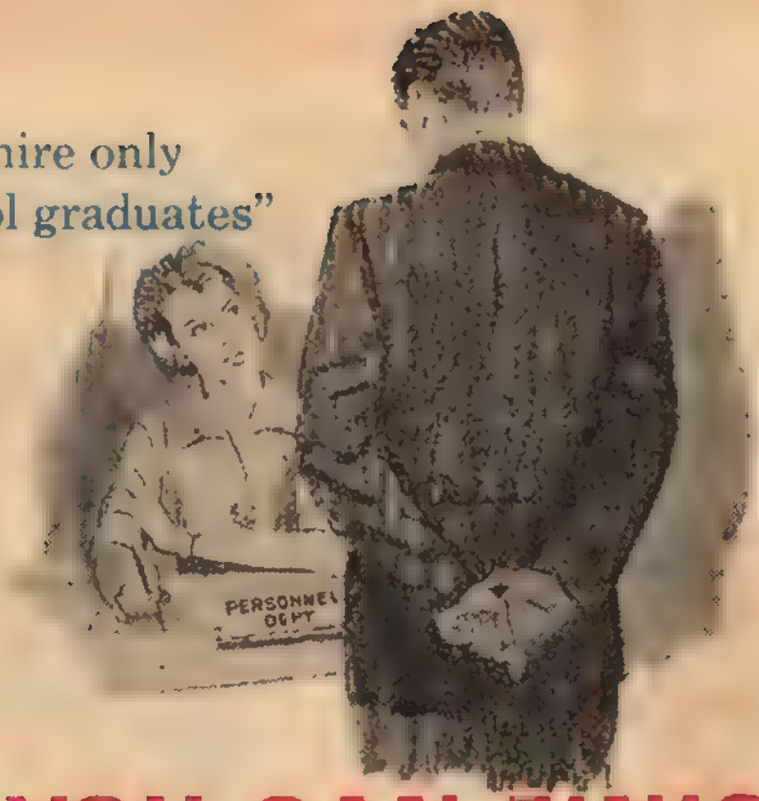

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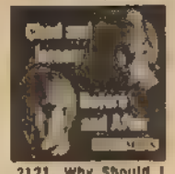

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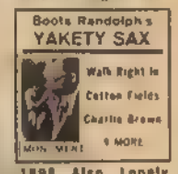

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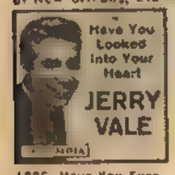

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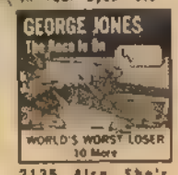

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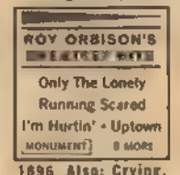

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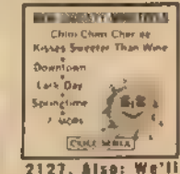

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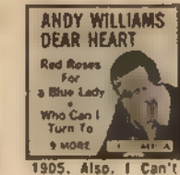

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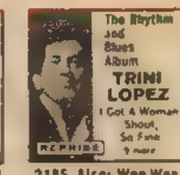

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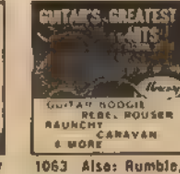

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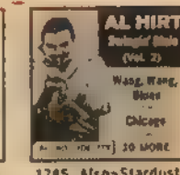

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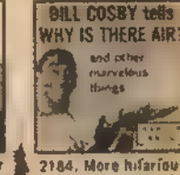

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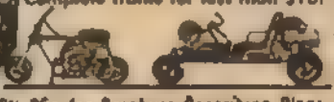

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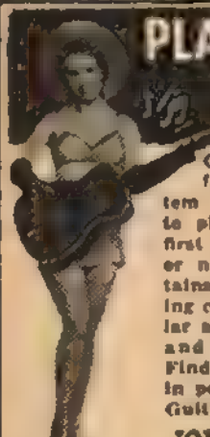

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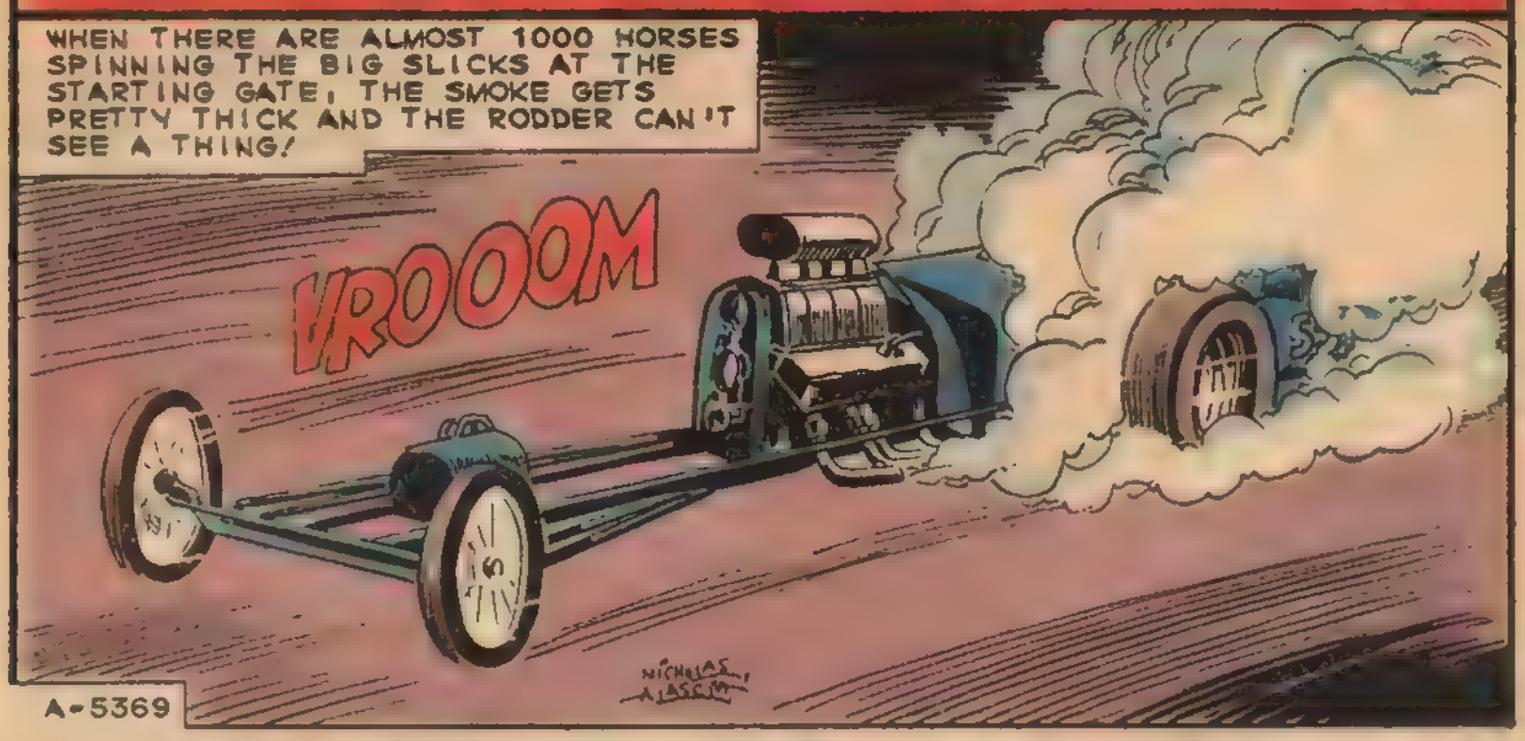
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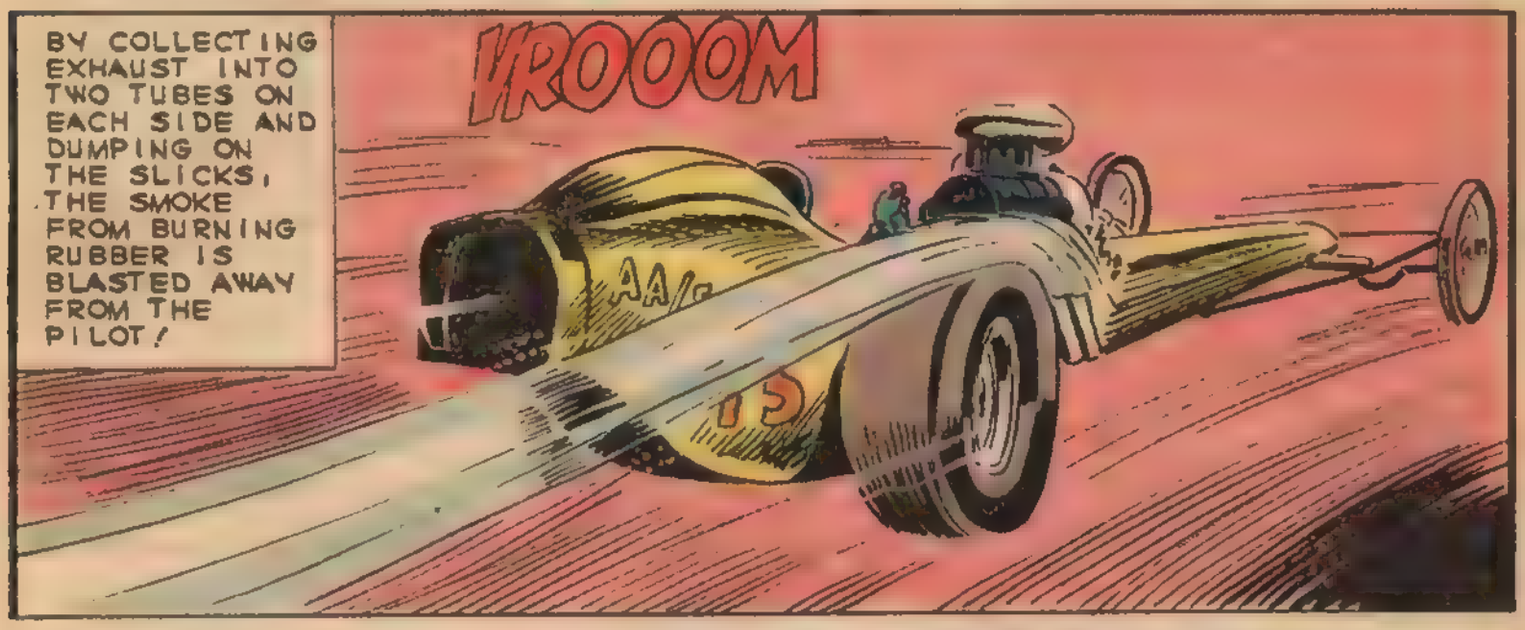
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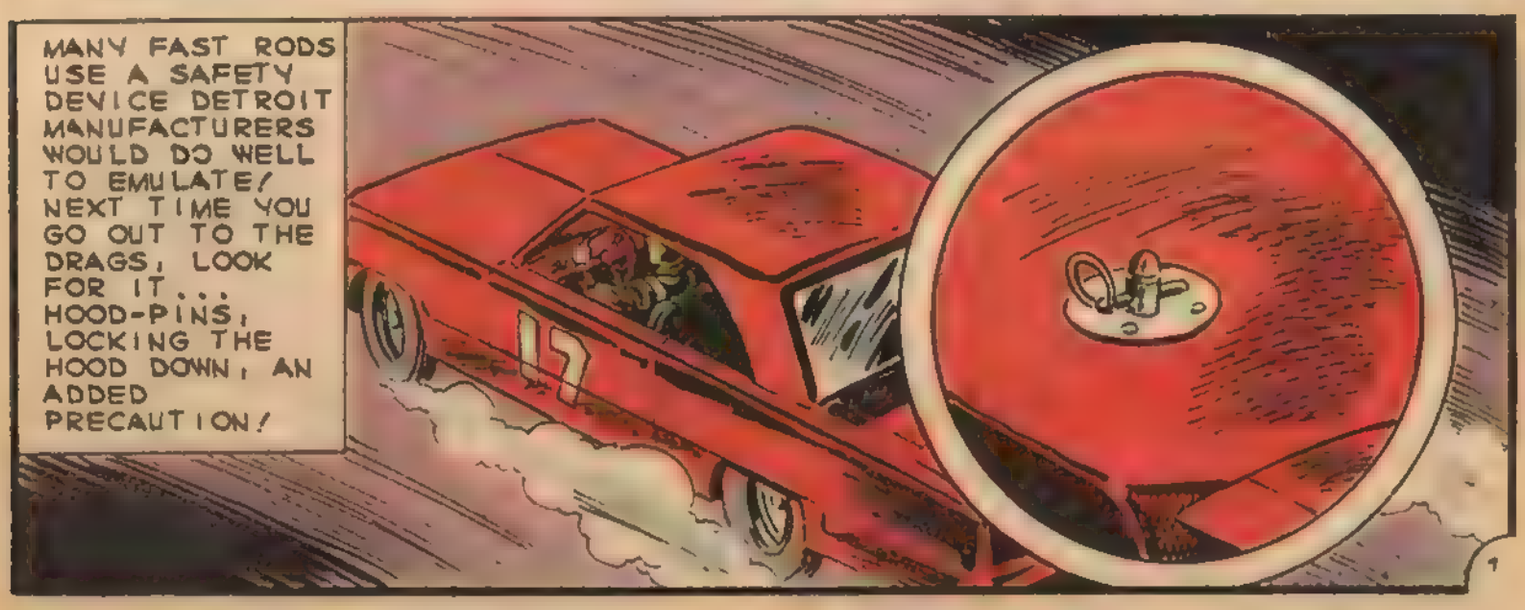
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VROOOM

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NOWADAYS, THE DRAGSTRIP STARS RUN WITH LOW TIRE PRESSURES AND LAY A BIG "PRINT" FOR MAXIMUM TRACTION! THIS MEANS A LOSS OF MPH AT THE TOP END, BUT LOWER E.T.S!

VROOOM

Ford

IF YOU'RE TOOLING A RAIL JOB DOWN THE 1320 FT STRIP, YOU NEED THAT BRAKING CHUTE IF YOU'RE GOING TO STAY INTACT...

...AND YOU FEEL MIGHTY STUPID WHEN IT DOESN'T OPEN!

SCREEEEEEE

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WHICH IS WHY MORE AND MORE OF THE AA SPEEDSTERS ARE PACKING AN "INSURANCE" CHUTE BEHIND THE DRIVER!

VROOOM

STABILIZE YOUR COIL SPRINGS WITH AN AIR LIFT SUSPENSION CONTROL... KEEP YOUR WHEELS ON THE GROUND AND DELIVER POWER TO BOTH REAR WHEELS!

WHILE YOU'RE WAITING FOR THE "GREEN" TO GET OFF THE LINE, HOLD YOUR POSITION WITH HAND BRAKE, USE LEFT FOOT ON CLUTCH, RIGHT FOOT GUNNING THE ENGINE! WHEN THE GREEN POPS, HIT THE GAS, POP THE CLUTCH, AND YOU'D BETTER TURN THAT HAND BRAKE LOOSE!

REMEMBER, IT'S A COMBINATION OF GOOD TRACTION AT THE START AND RPMS AT THE TOP END THAT GIVE YOU THE LOW E.T...AND ELAPSED TIME IS THE NAME OF THE GAME! SO WORK ON YOUR WEAKNESSES, ELIMINATE THEM ...AND SOME DAY YOU'LL BE THE TOP ELIMINATOR YOURSELF!

VROOOM

END

ROARING DOWN THE STRIP...
STRAIGHT TO YOU
FROM CHARLTON!

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HOT ROD RACERS
TEENAGE HOTRODDERS

BUY GO-GO NOW!*
(WE NEED THE MONEY!)
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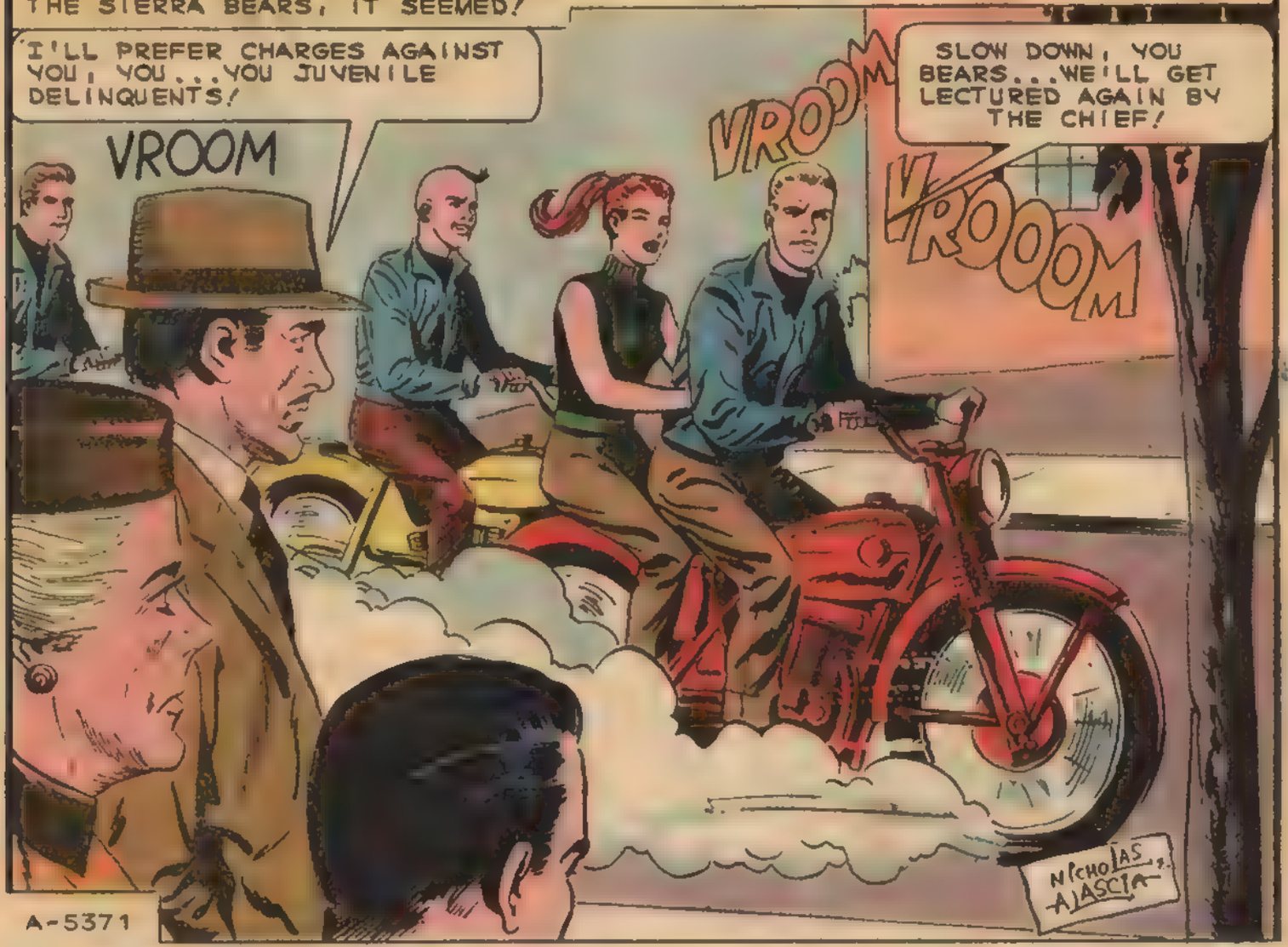
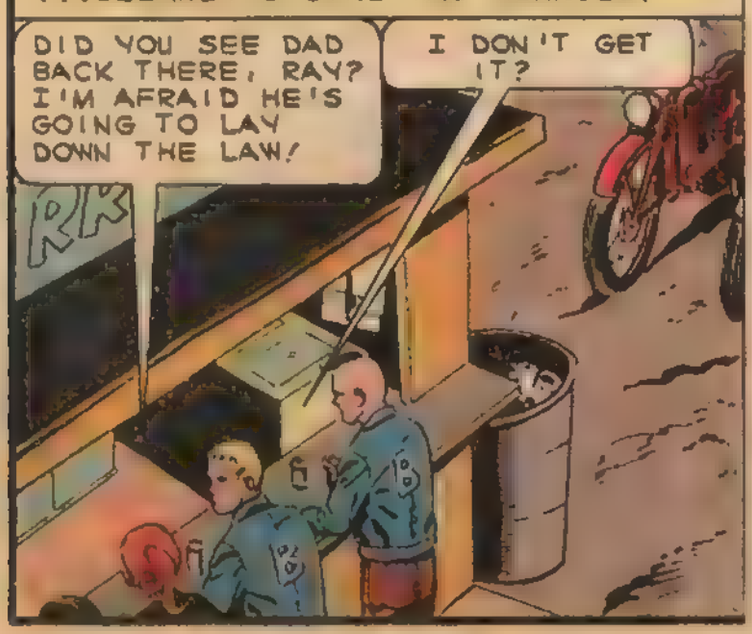
(WE'LL MAKE TWICE AS MUCH MONEY!)

THE BAD BEARS

THE SIERRA BEARS WERE A NEW CLUB IN A SMALL CALIFORNIA CITY...ABOUT FIFTEEN MEMBERS WHO OWNED SOME FAST DELANEY AND HARLEY-DAVIDSON BIKES! THEY LOVED THEIR CROSS-COUNTRY JAUNTS...AND EVERYONE IN TOWN HATED THE SIERRA BEARS, IT SEEMED!



ABOUT 8 MILES FROM TOWN, THEY STOPPED FOR BEEFBURGERS AND MALTS ...DELANEY'S GIRL WAS WORRIED!



YOU'D THINK WE WERE MARTIANS OR SOMETHING THE WAY THEY BEEF WHEN WE RIDE THROUGH TOWN!
ACTUALLY, BUTCH, A LOT OF TOWNS HAVE HAD TROUBLE WITH MOTORCYCLE CLUBS WHEN THEY COME THROUGH!
THEY'RE PICKY SOMETIMES WITH BIKE RIDERS...SOMETIMES THEY THROW THE BOOK AT CYCLISTS AND SO THE GUYS GET ON THE PROD! OUR CLUB, THOUGH, IS GOING TO BE CAREFUL NOT TO BREAK ANY LAWS? RIGHT, BUTCH?
HE WON'T TALK ABOUT IT, RAY, BECAUSE HE KNOWS HE'S BEEN WRONG A FEW TIMES! HE RODE PAST THE HOSPITAL WITH HIS ENGINE WIDE OPEN NIGHT BEFORE LAST...MY AUNT ELLEN IS A NURSE THERE AND SHE SAYS A LOT OF SICK PEOPLE WERE AWAKENED!
B
I HATE TO PICK ON HIM! HE TAUGHT ME HOW TO RIDE ON HIS CYCLE...HE WAS IN THE CLUB RIGHT FROM THE START! HE DOESN'T MEAN ANY HARM!
VROOOM
MEAN IT OR NOT, HE DOES DO HARM SOMETIMES! IF HE KEEPS IT UP, MY FOLKS WILL FORBID ME TO RIDE WITH YOU AGAIN!
I'LL TALK TO HIM AGAIN, KAY!
THE SIERRA BEARS ATTENDED SCRAMBLER RACES AND OTHER EVENTS...BUT NONE OF THEM HAD COMPETED...
VROOOM VROOOM
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KAY WASN'T ALONG THIS TIME! HER FATHER HAD SUGGESTED SHE STAY HOME THAT DAY WHEN RAY ARRIVED ON HIS H-D!
DON'T GROWL AT ME, PAPA BEAR... I DIDN'T TELL HER OLD MAN TO KEEP YOUR CHICK HOME!
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VROOM
YOU WENT DOWN HIS STREET TWICE LAST NIGHT, GUNNING YOUR TWIN, POPPING THE EXHAUST...AND AFTER YOUR SECOND PASS, HER FATHER FLIPPED HIS WIG! GO AWAY, UGLY, I'M PEEVED RIGHT NOW!
YOU'RE BAD-MOUTHIN' ME, BOY, AND I DON'T LIKE IT!
BUZZ OFF, HOTSHOT...
BUTCH HAD A MEAN REP AS A BRAWLER AND HE SWUNG A THICK FIST... BUT HE DIDN'T CONNECT! RAY JABBED WITH STIFF FINGERS...HE DIDN'T MISS!
SWISH
REMEMBER WHEN BUTCH WAS RIBBING US ABOUT THE JUDO SESSIONS WE HAD? HE JUST GOT A PRACTICAL DEMONSTRATION OF THE ART OF SELF-DEFENSE!
WHACK
LATER, AFTER THE MEET.
I'D ENTER THE NOVICE EVENT IN ONE OF THESE RACES BUT I DON'T THINK I'M GOOD ENOUGH!
WE'VE GOT TO START PRACTICING CROSS-COUNTRY RIDING!
VROOOM VROOOM

THE SIERRA BEARS DID TWO THINGS THAT WEEK ...VOTING BUTCH DANEO OUT OF THE CLUB...AND PLANNING SOME PRACTICE RUNS UP IN THE FOOTHILLS! THEY LEARNED THE HARD WAY...
VROOM
VROOOM
WE'LL NEVER GET ANY GOOD AT IT!
WHILE THEY WERE IN THE FOOTHILLS OF THE SIERRA NEVADA, MR. G.R. MAYES, KAY'S FATHER, WAS LODGING A COMPLAINT WITH THE POLICE CHIEF!
...CROSSING MAIN STREET TO GO TO MY BANK WHEN THIS INSANE JUVENILE DELINQUENT CAME ROARING PAST! I JUMPED FOR MY LIFE...AND SPRAINED MY WRIST!
WE'VE HAD OTHER COMPLAINTS ...FROM THE HOSPITAL AND SEVERAL OTHER PLACES!
YOUNG DELANEY SWORE HE'D MAKE HIS FRIENDS BEHAVE... BUT HE COULDN'T MAKE THEM BEHAVE! I GUESS I'LL HAVE TO DO SOMETHING...
TELL STEVE TO BROADCAST THIS! AS OF NOW, MOTORCYCLES ARE NOT PERMITTED WITHIN THE TOWN LIMITS! VIOLATORS WILL FACE STIFF FINES!

A POLICE CAR INTERCEPTED THEM IN TOWN TEN MINUTES LATER...

SCREEEEEE

WHAT NOW?

...THIS IS A WARNING TICKET/ RIDE YOUR MOTORCYCLES STRAIGHT HOME, NICE AND SLOW, WITH NO UNNECESSARY RACKET AND YOU'LL BE ALRIGHT/

MR. MAYES WAS ALMOST HIT ON MAIN STREET YESTERDAY AFTERNOON BY A MOTORCYCLE/ HE COMPLAINED TO THE CHIEF/

BUTCH DANEO DID THAT, SIR. OH, WELL ...WE'D BETTER GET ALONG HOME/ I'LL WALK TO CITY HALL AFTER THAT AND TALK TO THE CHIEF/

LATER, AT CITY HALL/

IT ISN'T JUST MR. MAYES, RAY/ PUBLIC OPINION IS AGAINST YOUR MOTORCYCLE CLUB/ EVEN YOUR OWN PARENTS WOULD LIKE TO SEE THE MACHINES BANNED IN TOWN/

IT ISN'T FAIR, SIR/ MOTORCYCLING IS A FINE SPORT/ ONLY ONE OR TWO ABUSE THE PRIVILEGE OF OWNING A BIKE/

UNTIL PEOPLE IN TOWN CHANGE THEIR MINDS, SON, I'LL HAVE TO KEEP YOU OUTSIDE THE TOWN LIMITS/

A DAY LATER, A SMALL GASOLINE TRUCK WAS ON A MOUNTAIN ROAD HEADED FOR A LUMBER CAMP IN THE SIERRA FOOTHILLS WHEN A TIRE BLEW AS IT CROSSED A WOODEN BRIDGE...

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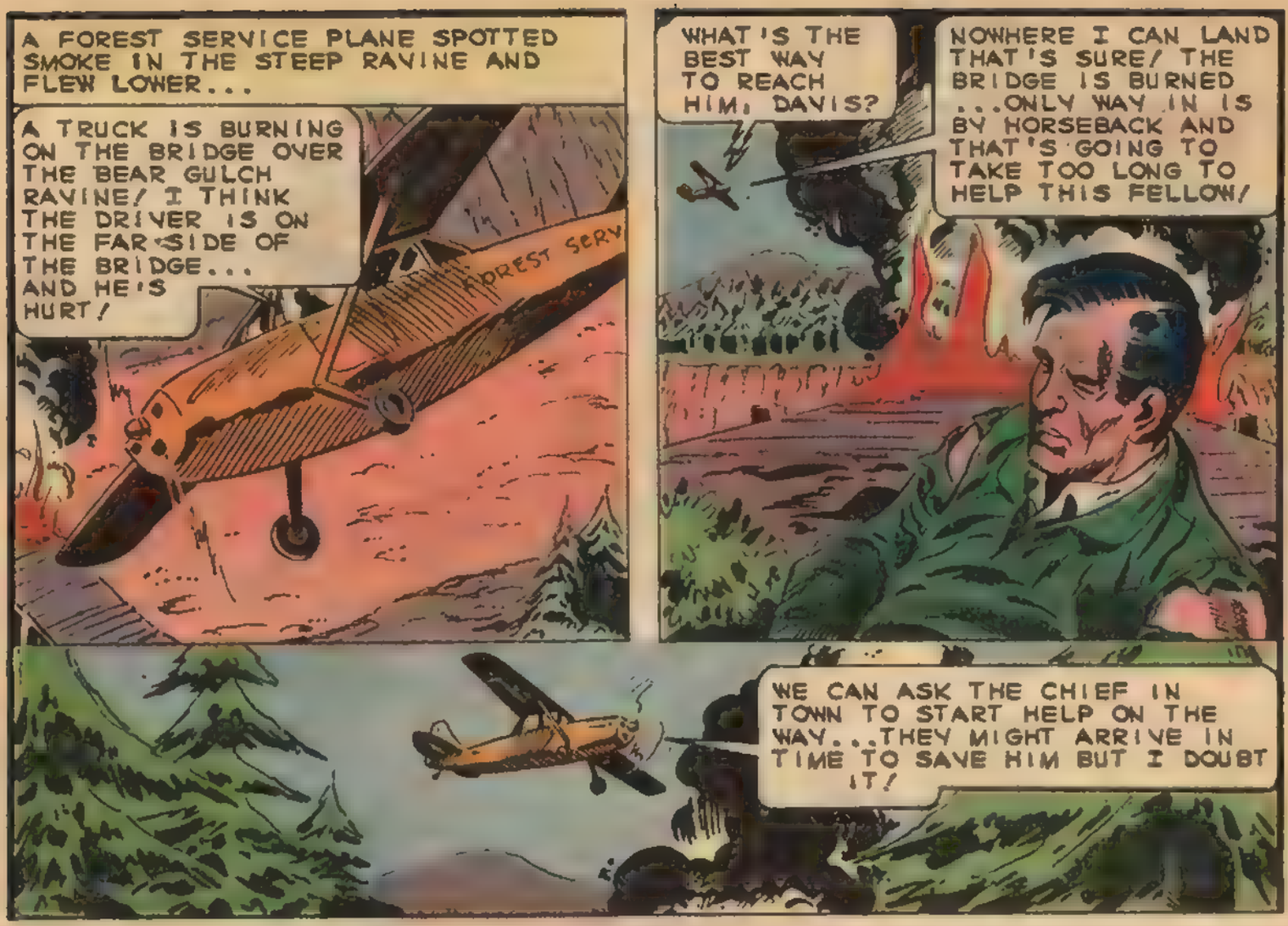
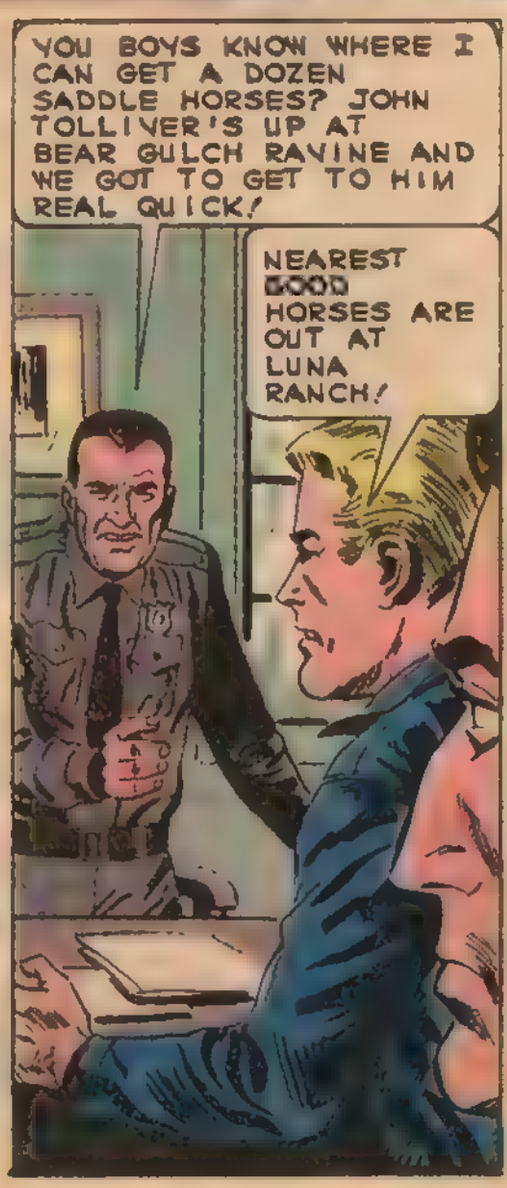

A FOREST SERVICE PLANE SPOTTED SMOKE IN THE STEEP RAVINE AND FLEW LOWER...
A TRUCK IS BURNING ON THE BRIDGE OVER THE BEAR GULCH RAVINE/ I THINK THE DRIVER IS ON THE FAR SIDE OF THE BRIDGE... AND HE'S HURT/
FOREST SERV
WHAT'S THE BEST WAY TO REACH HIM, DAVIS?
NOWHERE I CAN LAND THAT'S SURE/ THE BRIDGE IS BURNED ...ONLY WAY IN IS BY HORSEBACK AND THAT'S GOING TO TAKE TOO LONG TO HELP THIS FELLOW/
WE CAN ASK THE CHIEF IN TOWN TO START HELP ON THE WAY...THEY MIGHT ARRIVE IN TIME TO SAVE HIM BUT I DOUBT IT/

RAY DELANEY AND SOME OF THE SIERRA BEARS WERE IN POLICE HEADQUARTERS WHEN THE CHIEF GOT THE MESSAGE ABOUT THE INJURED DRIVER...
RESCUE TEAM ON HORSEBACK? I'LL START 'EM OFF SOON AS I CAN LOCATE SOME GOOD HORSES BUT IT'LL TAKE SOME TIME/


YOU BOYS KNOW WHERE I CAN GET A DOZEN SADDLE HORSES? JOHN TOLLIVER'S UP AT BEAR GULCH RAVINE AND WE GOT TO GET TO HIM REAL QUICK/
NEAREST GOOD HORSES ARE OUT AT LUNA RANCH/

HORSES ARE TOO SLOW ANYHOW/ WE CAN GO ANYWHERE A HORSE CAN ...AND GET THERE A LOT QUICKER/ I KNOW A GOOD SCRAMBLE TRAIL UP THERE, CHIEF/
IF YOU BOYS ARE WILLING TO TRY, RAY, GO AHEAD/ TAKE FIRST AID SUPPLIES AND I'LL GIVE YOU A WALKIE-TALKIE SO YOU CAN MAINTAIN CONTACT/
CITY HALL

THE CHIEF SENT A MESSAGE TO HIS MEN ORDERING THEM TO GIVE THE SIERRA BEARS A CLEAR ROAD...

VROOM VROOM

...SWINGING OFF THE HIGHWAY 9 MILES FROM TOWN, RAY DELANEY LED THE WAY UP A RUGGED TRAIL...MUCH WORSE THAN ANY "SCRAMBLE" COURSE HE'D EVEN SEEN!

VROOM VROOOM

OVER TERRAIN THAT WOULD TURN A MOUNTAIN GOAT'S HAIR GRAY, THE SIERRA BEARS MADE UNBELIEVABLY FAST TIME...

VROOOM VROOM VROOM

VROOOM

WE'RE ALMOST THERE!

THE INJURED MAN GAPED AS THE SIERRA BEARS SKIDDED TO A STOP...

HOW DID YOU BOYS GET HERE?

BIKES CAN GO A LOT OF PLACES NOTHING ELSE CAN, MR. TOLLIVER! WE'VE GOT TO GET YOU OUT OF HERE!

WHAT DO WE DO NOW? I DOUBT IF I CAN RIDE A MOTORCYCLE!

WE'LL TAKE YOU AWAY FROM THE BRIDGE FIRST...MAYBE IF WE FIND A CLEARING A HELICOPTER CAN PICK YOU UP!

30 MINUTES LATER, THE RESCUE HELICOPTER HAD ARRIVED AND...
LUCKY FOR HIM YOU FELLOWS GOT HIM AWAY FROM THE FIRE! EVEN A CHOPPER COULDN'T GET IN THERE! HOW ARE YOU FELLOWS GOING TO GET BACK TO TOWN?
THE WAY WE CAME...ON OUR BIKES!
ON THE RETURN TRIP, THE SIERRA BEARS FELL IN UNTIL THE WHOLE CLUB WAS PRESENT...
WE'D BETTER SPLIT UP NEAR TOWN, RAY! MY DAD SAID IF I GOT ANOTHER TICKET, I'D HAVE TO GET RID OF MY BIKE!
VROOOM
VROOM
VROOM
BUT THE LOCAL RADIO HAD CARRIED THE STORY OF THE SIERRA BEARS' RESCUE MISSION...AND THE POLICE WEREN'T WAITING WITH TICKETS THIS TIME!
THE CHIEF WANTS ALL OF YOU AT CITY HALL!
...AND APOLOGIZE, YOUNG MAN! WE ALL WERE FOOLISHLY PREJUDICED AGAINST MOTORCYCLE CLUBS BUT WE KNOW NOW THAT YOU'RE ALL FINE YOUNG MEN AND THE WHOLE TOWN IS PROUD OF YOU!
I THANK YOU, SIR!
THE SIERRA BEARS WENT ON FROM THERE... ENTERING COMPETITION EVENTS AND WINNING THEIR SHARE ...ESPECIALLY THE SCRAMBLER RACES WHICH BECAME THEIR FAVORITE EVENTS!
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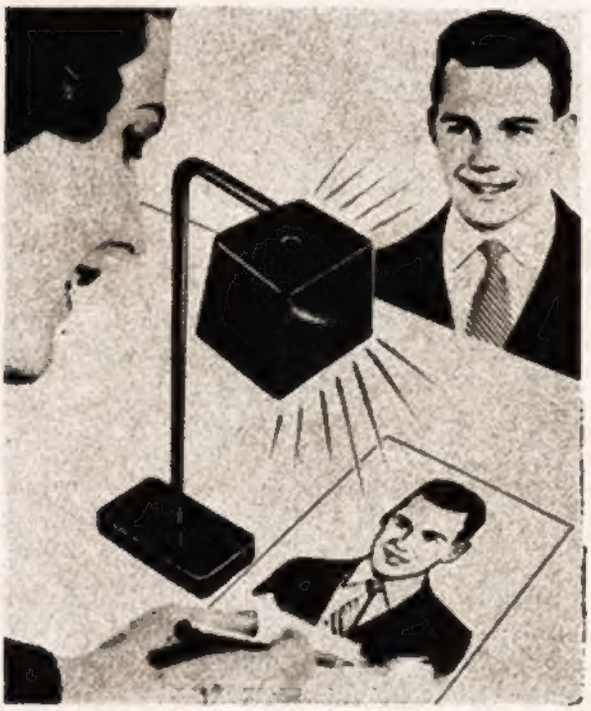

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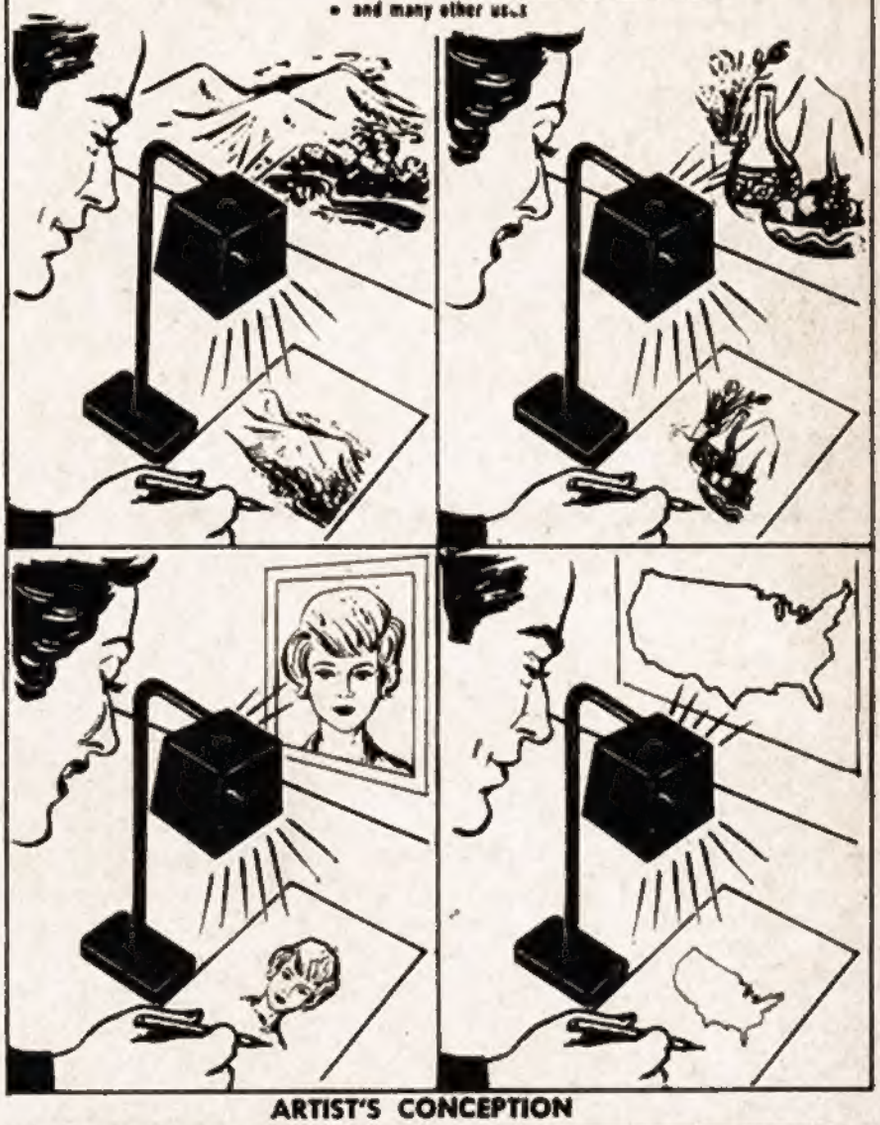

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